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This key opens the door of the Yates' Stores, now both consolidated at Thirteenth & Chestnut streets. We are no more at the Ledger Building. In the future come to this handsome new store for your own or your boys' Clothing. Our motto of the past is still our guide — *Honest Goods, Straight Dealing, Low Prices.*

A. C. YATES & Co

Corner 13th and Chestnut,

PHILADELPHIA.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

W. H. MOORE & CO.

The Goods we call your attention to in this advertisement are substantial and useful Holiday Presents.

HOLIDAY HANDKERCHIEFS.—5 cents to $2.50 is the favored line for presents. Linen, himstitched, bordered, embroidered, sheer lawn silk, and in fact almost anything you may desire in Handkerchiefs. *Do not fail to see them,*

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☞ *Do not fail to call and see the large stock, as we know it will be to your interest. We take pleasure in showing our stock.*

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This is complete and embraces all kinds and styles of carriages (including 20 entirely new ones manufactured by Cox & Bro.,) and we extend an invitation to all in want of anything in this line to give us a call and examine our goods and earn our prices before going away from from home to buy.

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We make a specialty of pure seeds and have just closed for a car load of strictly choice Western clover seed direct from Toledo, Ohio, which we will offer at the lowest possible price. This is strictly a choice lot of seed and coming direct from first hands, we are able to compete with the largest dealers. Also a large lot of choice timothy, rye, orchard and lawn grass seed.

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ICE CREAM AT WHOLESALE.

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THE RICE STEAM ICE CREAM MFG. Co.

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☞ Cream shipped to all parts of the Peninsula on short notice. Orders by telegraph will be promptly attended to and cream shipped by next train.

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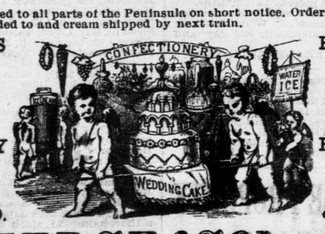

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OYSTER SEASON OF 1891

We are now prepared to furnish oysters in any quantity desired for family use, also for parties, church suppers, etc.

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You get boots that wear well and Shoes that give satisfaction. Complaints are few of the Boots and Shoes bought at Prettyman's. When the next pair is wanted give him a call.

Men's, Boy's, Women's and Children's Rubber Boots, Overshoes and Sandals.

ALL SALES ONLY FOR CASH.

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MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

RETROSPECTION.

Only some withered blossoms,
Crumbling to dry decay;
Only a glove half torn into,
And idly thrown away.
Only a heart that's breaking—
That is, if hearts could break;
Only a man adrift for life,
And all for a woman's sake.

Only a few such tokens,
Prized by a love sick fool,
Naught but the ashes that strew the ground
When love's hot flame grows cool;
Not the first man by thousands
The dupe of a heartless flirt,
Not the first time that priceless love
Was treated as common dirt.

Only in jest, you know it
Now, though it's rather late—
Rather too late to turn your life
And seek another fate.
You're not a man like thousands,
With a heart that will veer and twirl,
And feel a glow at the word and glance
Of every flirting girl.

Finished forever and done,
Wrecked by a treacherous smile!
Following madly a will-o'-the-wisp,
Haply if but for a while!
Only a heart that's broken—
That is, if hearts can break;
Only a man adrift for life,
And all for a woman's sake.

—Anonymous.

A PULLMAN CAR WOOING.

Scene: Eastern-bound Pullman car at the Oakland mole.

Time: 3.30 P. M.

Enter elderly gentleman, carrying small valise and large hamper. Following him two ladies, evidently mother and daughter. Daughter in dark blue traveling costume, with large bunch of violets pinned to front of her jacket; is a pretty, slender girl, of about nineteen. Both laden with flowers, books, and numerous small parcels, which they deposit in section nearest middle of car. The following conversation ensues:—

"Gladys, dear, I am really worried over your taking this trip alone. Had you not better wait a day or so, to see if we can hunt some one up to accompany you?"

"O, no indeed, papa. It was unfortunate that Mr. Wilson was taken ill so suddenly this morning, so that Mrs. Wilson could not go with me this afternoon, but you see I'll *have* to start to-day to reach Omaha in time for Clara's wedding, especially as I'm to be bridesmaid. You and mamma must not worry, for I shall get along all right alone."

In the meanwhile other passengers come in, and find their respective sections. The engine toots warningly. A few more kisses and hurried instructions, and papa and mamma are gone The train moves off, slowly at first, then with increasing speed carries her farther and farther away from the two worried souls she had just left.

Gladys felt a little frightened at the prospect of this, her first long journey alone, and kept her face turned toward the fast-flying but unnoticed landscape, for the blue eyes behind the long veil were blurred with tears.

Her thoughts flew back to her parents, now on the way to their home in San Francisco. She knew how much they would miss her,—the only child,—though she was going to stay only a few weeks with her Omaha friends. She thought, too, of some one else who—well, some one who was also left in San Francisco.

Finally, turning to inspect her fellow-travelers, she thought the few men and two fussey old ladies looked very uninteresting. Thrown carelessly in the section opposite was a valise and man's ulster, but the owner was not visible. She then turned her attention to the books, candy and flowers, piled up in front of her. She read, smiled over, and tucked away in her hand bags, the cards and tiny sealed notes hidden in the candy boxes or attached to the bouquets.

Time passed, and with a restless little yawn Gladys looked at her watch and found it after six. The porter just then announced that a stop will be made now at Sacramento for dinner.

Gladys thought of the bother of unpacking the neatly-strapped hamper for just one meal,—disliked the idea of going out at the station alone,—wished Mrs. Wilson had come,—then decided to dine on candy, as she was not very hungry.

At the moment a familiar form came up the aisle, and in a second a tall, handsome young man was standing near with outstretched hand. A gleam of amusement was in his dark eyes as he quietly said, "How do you do, Gladys?"

A delicate pink colored her cheek as she shook hands, and answered him with a surprised and rather cool, "Why, Jack, where did you come from?"

"From the smoking room, where I've been for the last three hours, ever since I came in, and found you so wrapped up in the scenery, you did not see me," he replied, moving some books away and sitting beside her in the most manner-of-course way.

"Where are you going, Jack?"

"To Omaha, Gladys."

"What for?" asked she, suspiciously.

"Partly business,—partly pleasure. Business, to take care of you; pleasure, to be with you," he answered concisely.

"Now, Jack, you know that is very foolish, after—"

"Last night, when you refused me again. Yes, I know; but you see I can't help being foolish. Was born so, I guess," said Jack resignedly.

Dead silence followed this for about two minutes. She looked steadily out of the window, while he gazed absently at the bald head of a man a few seats in front.

Then he broke the silence by leaning towards her and saying in a very soft and persuasive tone, "Gladys, won't you reconsider what you said last night?"

Looking around nervously to see if any one could hear, she answered, "No, Jack,—please don't go over that again, for it won't do one bit of good."

He looked disappointed; then picking up her jacket said, "Well, we are almost at Sacramento. Come, let us go out to dinner."

Gladys rose quickly, glad that she did not have to dine on candy after all; and while helping her with her coat Jack casually remarked:—

"You have lots of flowers."

"Yes, and these lovely violets,—they came this morning with no card attached; but I thing I can thank you for them," she said, looking up brightly at him.

A tender look came into his eyes as he said, "Yes, I sent them, and I'm much obliged to you for wearing them."

"O," said Gladys rather coolly, "I had no preference. They matched my dress so well,—that is why I wore them."

"Yes, I see," assented he, as coolly. "Those cream roses would not look well with it at all, for instance."

Poor little violets,—that last remark caused their dethronement, for the girl with a flush hastily and angrily detached them, saying, "Come to think of it, the roses would be far more effective," and pinned a few of the long-stemmed beauties in their place.

Just as quickly Jack replaced the few violets he had worn in his coat with a rosebud that she dropped, saying, "Mine are withered, too."

Gladys looked annoyed, but said nothing, and in five minutes they were hurriedly eating dinner at the station restaurant.

Afterward Jack amused and entertained her till the early bedtime, and she slept soundly that night, feeling safe with a friend so near.

Carefully looking from behind her curtains next morning, Gladys saw that the opposite section had been changed from "two beds to two seats" again, but Jack was not visible. Half an hour found her dressed, waiting for him to appear, as she intended asking him to breakfast out of the well stocked hamper.

Presently he came in, and after a very slight hesitation smilingly accepted her invitation. He helped her unpack the hamper and set the table in her section, and in a perfect gale of fun they began their morning meal, sitting opposite.

"This is fun, isn't it?" said Gladys, spearing for a sardine with a corkscrew, for Jack, as company, was honored with the only fork.

"Immense!" he assented, so emphatically that she laughed gleefully.

Emboldened by this, Jack, in the act of carrying a piece of cold chicken to his mouth, leaned over, and lowering his voice and fork at the same time, said coaxingly, "Let's breakfast together always,—shall we, Gladys?"

She smiled in spite of herself at his tone and manner, even while a dainty frown slightly marred her pretty forehead, and she answered briefly and emphatically: "Couldn't think of such a thing. Don't be silly, Jack."

"O, you cruel little girl!" said Jack dramatically, as he straightened up and proceeded to eat the morsel on his fork.

Their merry little meal over, the rest of the day passed in the usual routine of a Pullman car. Jack was all devotion from first to last. Reading, talking and eating, with hasty little promenades when there was any opportunity, was the order of the day.

Gladys acknowledged to herself, after bidding him good night, that Jack was a very pleasant companion,—but she did not want to marry him; no, indeed.

Jack Hollis had known and loved Gladys Preston since he was a boy of nineteen and she a little girl of fourteen. He had proposed and been declined several times, but knowing that she did not dislike him, and believing that "everything comes to the man who waits," he was waiting, and in the meantime wooing, to the best of his ability.

He was very much afraid she would meet some other man during her visit, who would fall in love with her and win her; hence his deep-laid scheme to travel to Omaha with her. As for Gladys, after her first surprise at seeing him on board, she was so used to his never-failing devotion that she took his coming with her as a matter of course. It was just like Jack, she thought.

The second morning Gladys arose with a severe headache. With that and a wretched night's sleep she was worn out and cross,—undeniably so. She snubbed poor Jack, who was all sympathy; refused the cup of tea he brought her when they changed cars at Ogden; and when the journey began again, lay back on the pillows he fixed in the seat for her, and would have nothing to say to him.

All day she suffered intensely, feigning sleep most of the time, to avoid being fussed over by the sympathetic old ladies.

How Jack longed to take the golden-brown head in his arms and stroke the throbbing temples. Towards evening, when the rest of the passengers were out at dinner, he asked her with a passionate tremor in his voice to give him the right to do so.

She was trying to swallow the tea he had again brought to her. Pushing it away, she said angrily:—

"Jack, you bother me to death. Don't ever mention that subject to me again, for I would not marry you. Go away, and don't speak to me at all." Then the aching head dropped wearily back on the pillow.

Jack paled, took the half-emptied cup, and walked silently out of the car. That was the last she saw of him that night. She had her berth made up early, and utterly exhausted, soon feel into a refreshing sleep, from which she awoke in the night with the headache gone.

Her first thought was of Jack, and her eyes opened wide with shame as she remembered her rudeness to the man who had always been so kind to her. She recalled the pained, set look, as he had turned away the evening before, and resolved to ask his pardon the first thing in the morning, when of course he would forgive her, and they would be good friends again.

Morning found Gladys herself again, sweet and pretty as ever, but no Jack to be seen. He had not come in to take breakfast with her, as she expected, so she decided he must have eaten at the station which had been passed early, before she was up.

After a lonely little breakfast by herself, she settled down comfortably with a book to read, and wait for him to come and make up.

The hours passed, however, and still no Jack. His traps were still opposite, so he must be on the train, probably in the smoking room, where the other men spent most of their time. She began to grow very indignant at his neglect.

"To be sure, I told him never to speak to me again, but he knew I did not mean it." soliloquized Gladys; then she tossed her head and vowed she didn't care what he did.

At lunch time she saw him disappear in the eating room without so much as look even in her direction. Shortly after the train moved he sauntered carelessly into his section. Meeting her wondering eyes he gravely bowed, then taking a book was to all intents soon absorbed in its contents.

Her heart seemed to sink a few inches as she fully realized that he had taken her hasty words literally, and did not intend speaking to her. But pride came to her rescue, and she was apparently as much interested in her work as he was in his.

The afternoon rolled on and still they read, never glancing at each other. As the train drew up at the dinner station he threw down his book, and without a word to the girl across the aisle, went out talking and laughing with one of the men.

Gladys, who had not left the car that day, timidly asked the old ladies if she could go out to dinner with them, and was promptly taken under their wing. After dinner, Jack stayed in the smoking room playing cards.

Then, as the shadows darkened so that she could not see to read, Gladys's spirits fell to lowest ebb. Turning to the window, but seeing nothing of the fast-darkening landscape, she gazed steadily out with fast-filling eyes. She realized and confessed then to herself how much she had missed Jack all day.

On the train flew into the darkness. The car lamps were lit, and berths were being made up all around her. More and more lonely and low-spirited she grew. To-morrow morning would bring them to Omaha, where her friends would meet her. She would go one way, Jack another and he would never speak to her again. The last thought was too much for her, and by this time she was crying softly but bitterly in the corner, with her face still turned to the window.

Ah, Jack, deliberately staying away all day from willful little Gladys was a diplomatic stroke of yours!

Suddenly some one leaned over her and said softly, "Why, Gladys, home sick already?"

Startled, she turned quickly, and with a joyful little catch of her breath dashed her handkerchief over her eyes, and answered shyly, "No, Jack, only lonesome, and I—I'm sorry I was so rude yesterday."

He sat down, screening her from any prying eyes, and said very low, "Gladys, darling, were you crying because I've been such an unmanly beast to-day?

The pretty head droopped lower,—but no answer. Jack glanced around; no one was looking. Taking her hand, he said:—"Gladys, once more I ask you to be my wife. If you say no, I shall never trouble you again, but shall take the first train home from Omaha to-morrow, a disappointed man. Which is it, dear, yes or no?"

Still no answer.

"Say yes, dearest," pleaded Jack, with his lips dangerously near the fluffy bang.

An almost imperceptible nod was all the answer he got, but it seemed to satisfy him. Gently raising her head he stole a kiss, just in time to escape the porter's inquisitive eyes as he came up blandly asking the young lady if she was ready to have her berth made up.

Blushing furiously, the young lady said yes, she was ready; so pressing her hand warmly, Jack whispered, "Good night, love," and left her, well satisfied with the result of his journey.—Jessie Howell Hull, in Overland.

"Swim, Fish, Swim!"

Cut out of a piece of ordinary paper a fish of natural size In the centre of the fish cut a hole communicating with the tail by a narrow canal. Fill an oblong-shaped pan with water and place the fish on the surface so that the under part will be thoroughly wet, while the upper part will be perfectly dry.

Propose to your audience to make this fish move with out touching or blowing on it. All you have to do is to let a drop of oil fall lightly into opening; this oil will try to spread itself over the surface of the water, but this can only be possible through the canal. By the effect of reaction the fish will be pushed inversely to the direction taken by the oil, that is to say, forward. This motion will last long enough to allow the spectator to see with astonishment the movement of a simple piece of paper on the surface of the water, without knowing how the effect has been obtained, unless an explanation is given them.—Detroit News.

The Old, Old Story.

'Tis the old, old story; one man will read
His lesson of toil in the sky,
While another is blind to the present need,
But sees with the spirit's eye.
You may grind their souls in the self-same mill,
You may bind them heart and brow,
But the poet will follow the rainbow still,
And his brother will follow the plow.

—John Boyle O'Reilly.

A man's ears are placed in such a way that he can catch the things that are said in front of him; a merciful Providence never intended that he should hear what is said behind his back.

THE APRIL FOOL.

What fools these mortals be!
The sapient Shakespeare said;
Which proved the whilom William
Possessed a level head.

The world is full of fools,
Of every shape and size;
And some are very foolish fools,
And some are very wise.

But we take them all in all,
The fools of every clime,
There's one that safely leads the rest,
And has since dawn of time.

And this most precious fool,
Of all the very worst,
Is the one who tries to fool his friends
On every April first.

—Boston Courier.

FREE COINAGE OF SILVER.

"He whom the Gods would destroy they first make mad."

I have never been more profoundly impressed with the truism of this utterance than after having noted the craze which seemed to have possessed the minds of so many of the people of the West as to whether the mints of the United States should be opened to perform, free of charge, the work of coining into money all the bullion silver that the world contains. Just how the American people who pay taxes can expect to derive any benefit from laboring for naught is more than I can tell, and that is just what the free coiners of silver demand. There is, doubtless, upwards of four thousand millions of dollars (American standard) in silver bullion in the world. I say silver bullion because if the United States engage in free coinage and make the supreme attempt to maintain her coinage of silver on par with gold, I have so much faith in the ability of her countrymen to do it, to believe that they will partially succeed—quite successful enough to convert all foreign silver coin into bullion. But it can only be done by a sacrifice to the entire people of at least twenty-five per cent. of the amount coined. That is to say should the dream of the free coiners of silver be realized, should all the silver of the world be coined into American dollars it will be so coined at an expense of one thousand millions of dollars to the American people. That is to say that the holders of the silver of the world would realize about one thousand millions of dollars more for the silver they now hold than they would, had not the American people provided for the coining of that silver into money. It is absurd to suppose that Americans can enhance the wealth of the silver holders of the country by one thousand millions of dollars unless it be at the cost of one thousand millions of dollars worth of wasted American industry.

Either the silver bullion of the world will not be coined into money and thus increase the volume of money in America, or it will be coined in part or whole at a cost to America for whatever increase the bullion holders may secure by parting with their silver bullion. That is a great price to pay. What are the benefits? A class of men (not very large) of unfortunate men, we may say, are now in debt and have been in debt for the lands which they till. It is their dream, their hope, that by an unlimited coinage of silver they will enhance the selling value of their products, and thus be able to more easily pay their debts. This might be correct were it not that if the price of their products be enhanced because of the free coinage of silver, the price of those things which they purchase will also be enhanced. For a few months, perhaps years, labor would unquestionably suffer. But "the laborer is worthy of his hire;" and it would be only a question of a short time when he would get his price, and the farmer would be compelled to pay him higher wages. The fertilizers with which the crops are produced which go upon the soil a year before (in many cases) the crop is harvested, would certainly be much higher in price than now, and all farming utensils would increase in price; consequently the capital required for farming would of necessity be greater, and the interest to be paid to the factor who in so many cases advances the fertilizer, will of a necessity be higher, and consequently it will be no less difficult for the farmer to produce from his wheat, and his corn, and his oats, and his hay, any more money than he produces under the conditions as they now exist. They claim that it is impossible for them to accumulate under the present condition, and hence they cannot lessen their debts. If any one of these intelligent, thoughtful farmers who has been crazed by this glittering hope which free coinage and abundant money holds out, will take the trouble to sit down and think, I am satisfied that he will look beyond the mere question of what shall constitute the medium of exchange.

He will certainly see that the farmer is always a creditor as well as a debtor. He owes the landlord for his rent, or if he be the owner of a mortgaged farm, he owes the mortgagee for his interest as well as the principal. He owes the factor for such advances made to him wherewith to buy his seed, his fertilizers, his feed, and possibly his clothing; in all those cases he is the debtor. But he has loaned the fertilizers which he has bought to the soil of his farm; he has loaned his labor and all the labor that he has hired to that farm; and that farm is his creditor until those crops be gathered, when the condition is almost immediately renewed. He must know that if legislation on the mediums of exchange will enhance the value of his products it will also enhance the value of everything that he buys. There can be no legislation on this particular subject that will make eighty cents one dollar when the farmer wants to buy, and one hundred cents when he wants to sell or pay his debts, and as his purchases and sales are nearly always very nearly, if not quite, the same, he cannot by any correct reason arrive at any belief that his conditions can be materially advanced by such legislation. Perhaps he cannot be greatly injured by unwise legislation that relates solely to the currency.

I know that the farmer is too apt to reason that if he can get more for his grain than he now does that his conditions will be materially advanced. Could some farmers produce great crops of certain cereals while a great many others produce nothing, and thus cause a scarcity. Those more fortunate farmers would undoubtedly realize their hopes; but that would be the result without regard to legislation. But the raising of wheat, corn, oats, potatoes and beans is a manufacturing business after all. The naked land will produce nothing without man's skill and man's genius; and man's genius, and skill, and energy may turn a waste marsh or a rough hillside into a productive soil, and if he stops there, the soil will produce nothing that will be of value to him. The machinist can build mighty looms (upon which can be woven the finest fabrics at a minimum of cost) and his machinery is complete and perfect when he turns it over to the mill operator. But if genius and energy is not applied to the loom, it will remain, like the farm, unproductive, and to attempt to draw a distinction between a raw material and the manufactured article that will be absolutely correct, would be to make the raw material that which is only the creation of God without the intervention of man, and the manufactured article would be anything that was created by man from the gifts which God has bestowed upon him.

And the wheat in the granary is just as much a manufactured article as the cotton cloth upon the shelf; with this exception: That it required more labor to produce a pound of manufactured cotton cloth than it did to produce a pound of wheat. And as sure as the sun rises, so sure is it that if the price of the cereals grown in America be raised in the foreign market (the conditions being the same as now) it will only be because the currency of the United States has depreciated in the markets of the world, and after all the apparent appreciation in prices of cereals will be unreal. The coffee, the tea, the chemicals, the woolen and silk goods and all those things purchased in foreign countries which have ceased to be luxuries of the American home and become necessities, will be enhanced in values according to the American standard, but a bushel of wheat will buy no more of them than it will now buy, if, indeed, it could be exchanged for so much; it is probable that there would be additional charges made for the exchange, because of the unsettled condition of the currency, which invariably falls upon the consumer, which in this case would be largely the American farmer.

Now the vast number of laborers and salaried men and women and those living upon fixed incomes would be very seriously affected and, doubtless, until there could be a readjustment it would commence at once and perhaps the adjustment could be accomplished within a year, excepting in the cases of widows and orphans—who live upon interest from investments. Pending this adjustment there would be much suffering among these classes. But there could be no change for the better for them, it could only be for the worse. And when the adjustment was accomplished, in all human probability, their condition in life would be exactly what it is to-day.

Now what would be accomplished by this free coinage of the silver of the world? The people of the United States will have abandoned the high rank which they have taken in the commercial world, they will have depreciated the value of American citizenship and added not a ship to her commerce, not a comfort to a citizen not already comfortable, nor lessened the bondage of the toiling millions, but will add more power to the corporations than they now possess, and with such additional power they will practically control the destiny of the country. I have said they, I might with truth say *he* will control the destiny of the country. He, the King. The railroad magnate. The one man who controls the pathway of commerce over the land. It has almost reached that point now, and the passage of the Silver Bill is prayed for by him, because he sees in it nothing to menace his ambition, but much which will enable him to hold a tighter rein. (There are many of them now, but they all hope to be the one.) Bondholders and stockholders will be paid in depreciated currency where they are powerless to assert themselves, and the difference of twenty-five per cent. will be carried into the already bursting safes of the railroad magnates.

It is not from free coinage of silver, nor from unlimited issuing of fiat money that any relief can come to the producers in America. The relief, if it ever comes, will come from the emancipation of trade. When the great protected industries of the country have no longer any power to levy their blackmail, when the iron manufacturers of Pennsylvania and the new iron regions of the South are compelled to market their products in competition with the products of Norway and England and the rest of the world, when the beat sugar growers of the West and the cane sugar growers of the South are forced to market their products in competition with the growers of Germany and Cuba, when the cloth makers of Philadelphia are compelled to market their products in competition with products of Bradford, and the silk makers of Patterson are compelled to market their products in competition with the manufactures of Lyons, and the cotton manufacture of Lowell are compelled to manufacturers of Manchester market, then will there release to the American will come the time hope with a reasonable its realization that full benefits of the pro

labor.

For the farmers now to side track the Tariff Reform work of Grover Cleveland when that reform is so nearly accomplished, and go off on a jack-o-lantern quest of free silver coinage and increased currency would be a blunder which but few crimes could equal in atrociousness. I am sure that the farmers will not commit this blunder if they will, from that financial gloom which now envelopes them, review the causes which led up to the depressions in their business (which have been almost continuous from the commencement of high tariff. They are now much like the drowning man, they grasp at the straw instead of striking out for the shore. Every man can swim if he but knows how. A straw can save no man from drowning, but cool heads and steady nerves have often saved men from drowning who could not swim.

And cool, thoughtful reasoning will save the American farmer from bankruptcy and ruin, and not the straw of inflated currency if they are to be saved. To help them to this line of reasoning should be the aim of all who earnestly hope for the emancipation of trade from the serfdom imposed upon it by the protection "policy" of our government for the past quarter of a century. The farmers of the West should at once be liberally supplied with such literature that they will read and can readily understand and which will prove that printing-presses running night and day printing greenbacks, and the mints of the country working up to their possibilities coining silver, cannot add any wealth to the country, or make any one richer, save those who do the work incidental to stamping and printing, or those who furnish supplies of paper, etc., or the silver. They are the only ones that could be benefited, save a few who owe more than they have owed to them. And only those interested in furnishing the silver would be specially benefited, but those silver holders of the world (were the assertions of those politicians of the silver school be realized) would be benefited by one thousand millions of dollars. They should be convinced that excessive taxation falls invariably with its greatest force on those producers in moderate circumstances, and with special violence upon the farmers.

JAS. A. B. DILWORTH.

The Universal Malady.

Man's a vapor full of woes;
Billous gets and down he goes.

Tries a pill and there it sticks;
Might as well try square-toed bricks.

Finds his liver given out;
Next he has a siege of gout.

So he tries a doctor's powder,
And his swears grow loud and louder.

Goes right on from bad to worse;
Think's he'll order soon a hearse.

"What's the matter?"
"Don't chew knaw?
Why, of course,
Ma-lar-i-a."

—Pharmaceutical Era.

The Renomination of President Harrison.

Mr. Harrison's success in securing a renomination would have one great public advantage. It would indisputably invite the verdict of the country upon the conduct of the party It is denied by many Republicans that the election of last autumn was such a verdict. But if elections can ever be held to express public feeling, the re-election of President Harrison, unless evidently due to support of his position upon the silver question, would proclaim the sanction of the country for the McKinley tariff, for an election law, and for the postponement of civil service reform. But this is the very lion in the President's path. His renomination would be such a distinct declaration that the party meant to adhere steadfastly to the general course which the country has condemned that it is very doubtful whether the leaders would care to make it. The nomination of another candidate could be readily interpreted as a change of front. Even if no real change should be contemplated, the fact would be less evident in another nomination. If, for instance, Mr. Robert T. Lincoln should be selected, his nomination would not be so distinct a reaffirmation of the force bill and the McKinley bill and a neglect of civil service reform as that of the President. Moreover, if not in himself an object of party enthusiasm, his name is, and he is wholly free from any factional entanglement. Yet as there is no more tried and true representative of the recent party policy than the President, a refusal of his overtures for renomination would be fairly interpreted as showing the party distrust of its own policy.—From Harper's Weekly.

Everybody Knows

That at this season the blood is filled with impurities the accumulation of months of close confinement in poorly ventilated stores, workshops and tenements. All these impurities and every trace of scrofula, salt rheum, or other disease may be expelled by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier ever produced. It is the only medicine of which "100 does one dollar" is true.

A recently married pair boarded the train at a station on the Delaware railroad in the midst of a shower of rice that whitened the floor of the car. When the conductor who is a wit, took their tickets, he inquired of the bridegroom if he knew why the crowd threw the rice into the car? "They threw it at us," was the reply. "But why at you?" He couldn't tell. "Because you are in the soup," replied the man of the punch, as he moved on to the next passenger.

"There ... man of Tobago, lived ... and sago," he ... After he used a ... he could eat ... all

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Thursday Afternoon April 9, 1891.

MAILS CLOSE GOING NORTH— 7,34, 11.16 a. m 4.12, p. m.

MAILS CLOSE GOING SOUTH— 8.58 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Church Directory.

MIDDLETOWN M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. Alfred Smith, Pastor.

Preaching every Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sabbath School every Sabbath at 2 p. m. Alfred G. Cox, Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. The class meetings are held as follows: Sunday, 9 a. m., M. D. Wilson, Leader; Monday evening as 7.00 o'clock two classes, W. H. Moore and John B Roberts, Leaders: Tuesday evening at 7.30, led by the pastor; Wednesday evening at 7.00 o'clock two classes, Rev. Alfred Smith and Alfred G. Cox, Leaders. The seats are free and all are welcome.

FOREST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Francis H. Moore, Pastor.

Services held every Sabbath morning at 10.30 o'clock, and every Sabbath evening at 7.30. Sabbath school will be held every Sabbath morning at 9.15 o'clock. Harry Ellison Superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

Services at Armstrong's chapel the first Sabbath of each month at 2.30 p. m.

ST. ANNE'S PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. J. Beers, Rector.

Divine Service on Sunday mornings at half past ten o'clock and in the evenings at half past seven. Sunday-school at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Services Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Town Notes.

— New Castle is said to have more brass bands than any town on the Peninsula. She is welcome to them.

— Ex-Supt. I. N. Mills has been appointed special agent of the P. W. & B. R. R. with head quarters at Clayton.

— The latest fad of the small boy is an imitation rat, which he places on the sidewalk to scare unsuspecting female pedestrains.

— Carpenters commenced Monday to rebuild the house of Mr. John Kilpatrick, which was destroyed by fire early on the morning of December 26th.

— The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes took place from the residence of her son-in-law, W. H. Johnson, on Saturday last. The interment was made at Bethel cemetery.

— For the first time this season shad were offered for sale by the local fish traders in Middletown on Saturday. They sold at $1.00 per pair. At Milford they sold at 50 cents per pair the same day. Strange, isn't it?

— Thieves stole from the Misses Beasten of near Mt. Pleasant, one night last week, all the turkeys which they had purchased to raise off of, but a few days previously. There is no clue to the thieves.

— A mad dog passed through Armstrong's Corner Monday and bit a dog belonging to a Mr. Truitt of that place. The owner at once killed his dog, but the mad dog got away before he was able to get a shot at it.

— William Simpkins, who formerly resided near this town, died very suddenly at his home near Delaware City Tuesday morning. The funeral will take place to-morrow at 10 A. M.

— At a meeting of the Town Council last Thursday night B. T. Craddock was appointed town bailiff, Jonathan W. Leatherberry engineer of water works and W. B. Moody and John Whitlock were given the contract for hauling on the streets.

— At the meeting of the school voters in the United States Districts Nos. 60 and 94, held at the Academy Saturday afternoon, John W. Jolls and W. P. Biggs were re-elected commissioners to serve for three years. The accounts of the school board were also audited.

— R. J. Foard has erected a frame building on railroad avenue, and laid in a stock of farming implements, etc. The room adjoining his new building and once used by Lord & Polk Chemical Company will be converted into an office.

— The following grand and petit jurors for the April term of the United States district court have been appointed for this section:—Appoquinimink, Henry H. Appleton; Blackbird, Henry Staats. P. J.—St. Georges, Henry Cleaver, Appoquinimink, J. M. Rothwell; Blackbird, John Jarrell.

— On Sunday afternoon a gasoline stove in Mr. J. G. Bragdon's kitchen got out of order and the flames set fire to some wood work in the room. Mr. Bragdon picked up the stove and carried it out doors, and thereby no doubt prevented a serious fire. As it was the walls of the room were blackened by the smoke and some of the lattice work was burned.

— A mad dog appeared on our streets last Monday morning about 11 o'clock, and before it was killed bit several dogs belonging to people of this town. It started down Main street toward Odessa, but a shot gun in the hands of Will. Warren brought its career to a sudden end. Many of the animals bitten were killed and every effort will be made to prevent further trouble from the malady.

— A lady who now resides in this town, but who has been away since last November, was greatly surprised on going to the post-office after her return home a few days ago to find a Christmas present which had been sent her in December by a friend in California and which, as it had not been called for, had been left in the post-office since that time. It was rather late to receive a Christmas present in April, but 'twas none the less appreciated.

— On May 1st all special taxes on tobacco will cease. This means what is generally known as the Government license paid by every manufacturer and dealer in cigars or manufactured tobacco, which was $6 per year to retailers of cigars or tobacco, has been abolished. Manufacturers of cigars and tobacco, peddlers and dealers in leaf tobacco will be required as heretofore to make their reports to the Internal Revenue agents, but the retailers will now be permitted to sell cigars and tobacco as they do other articles of merchandise. The stamp duties on cigars and tobacco remain the same.

— Deputy Sheriff Jolls sold the house on Lockwood Street, the property of J. W. Makens to Mr. A. G. Cox for the Mutual Loan Association of this town for $740.

— Robert Whittock, a farmer residing near town, met with a painful accident a few days ago while at work pulling peach tree stumps. Some part of the machine gave way and struck him back of the head, knocking him senseless. He was unconscious for some time.

— Gov. Reynolds yesterday appointed E. T. Cooper Register of Wills to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of James L. Heverin, Esq., and Peter C. Gruwell, State Librarian vice J. C. Gooden whose term expired.

— I wish to remind my friends and patrons of the fact that I have removed from my old stand to the room lately occupied by the Enterprise grocery store. I will be pleased to see them at any and all times.

JOHN B. ROBERTS.

— The Board of Town Commissioners will receive proposals for removing all garbage and slop from the town limits up until six o'clock on Monday evening, April 20th. All proposals to be handed to W. S. Letherbury, secretary. Farmers living near town should not fail to hand in their bids.

— Men have been at work to-day removing the loose dirt which has in places been scraped from the sides of Main street. That part of the street where the work has been completed shows that it is a very decided improvement, and our street now presents a clean and neat appearance. North Broad street is very uneven, and the road scraper should be used upon it.

— List of unclaimed letters remaining at the post-office, which can be had by saying they are advertised: John Allcorn, Mrs. Ross Anderson, Mr. Ross Anderson, Wm. H. Anthony, Mrs. Anie Clark, Joseph Jackson, Howard Johnson, Mrs. Leanor Kale, Mrs. Elizabeth Lamb, Mrs. Lizzie Mellen, James H. Massey, Mrs. Sary Sanders, Mrs. Caroline Townsend, [2] Charley Lockermon.

— A crowded house greeted the celebrated McGibeny Family at the Opera House last night, and were treated to one of the very best entertainments given here for several years. The musical talent displayed by the performers is wonderful, and everyone who heard them was pleased. The Family travel in their own car and it is a veritable palace on wheels. Besides the sixteen members of the company there are six servants who live in this "home on wheels."

— We venture to say that very few of the many pastors in the Wilmington Conference who have changed their homes during the past week have been given a warmer welcome by the church people than was given Rev. N. M. Browne, the new pastor of the M. E. Church of this place, at at the parsonage last Friday night. It had been announced that the pastor and wife would be given a public reception and such it proved to be. The guests began to arrive shortly after six o'clock and continued to come until nine, at which time the parlor and hall way were completely filled; and as each one came in they were introduced to the new pastor and wife. The orchestra was present and rendered several selectious of music. About nine o'clock the visitors went into the dining-room where cake and ice cream were dispensed to all in liberal quantities. After this part of the program was over, which proved to be a very enjoyable part, the guests returned to the parlor and whiled away the remainder of the evening in social intercourse, and about 11 o'clock the company left for home.

Personal Mention.

— Miss Ella Clark of Earleville, has been visiting friends in town the past few days.

— Miss Emily Lanning of Bridgeton, N. J., is visiting Miss Helen M. dain.

— Herbert Mullin of Wilmington, was in Middletown yesterday and to-day.

— Miss Nettie Craven of Salem, N. J., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. I. S. Vallandigham.

— Miss Emma Wilson of Georgetown, Md, is visiting Mrs. D. M. Cochran of Middletown.

— H. L. Clayton of Philadelphia, came home Saturday to spend a few days with his parents.

— Miss Edith Crow of Wilmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. W. B. Biggs, of this place.

— Mrs. Maria Walker who has been away since last fall, visiting friends in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, came home on Friday.

— E. R. Cochran, Jr., of this place, was present at a very pleasant social party given by Mrs. George H. Raymond, at her home in Smyrna last Thursday evening.

— Mail agent Charles H. Jolls of the Chestertown road is home, recovering from an attack of the la grippe, As this is the second time the disease has caused him to return home this spring it is supposed that it has a pretty good "grip" on him.

— At 9 o'clock Tuesday morning Miss Lizzie Parker, Miss Mabel Taylor, Messrs. Fred Crouch, Wm. Collins, Gray Taylor and William Taylor left Middletown for Washington, where they expect to remain until Friday. Mr. Taylor planned the trip which was given merely for the benefit of the young folks. Rev. Alfred Smith, late pastor of the M. E. Church of this place, accompanied the party.

State Items.

Three ship anchors, ranging from 600 pounds to a ton in weight, are lying on the flats near the Mispillion light house. These anchors tear the nets of the shad and sturgeon fishermen, causing considerable inconvenience and loss.

The Kent News says: An employe on the Kent railroad has given out the cause for the slow speed of the train on that road. He says they run slow so as not to shake the cars up too much before the summer, as they will need them for the peach business.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

The one bill which goes beyond all others in importance is the charter for the Delaware Terminal Railroad Company. This charter provides for the building of a road from a point at or near the town of Lewes to any point on the line between New Castle county and the State of Maryland. The object is to reach Lewes and make the establishment of a great coaling station there a possibility. The situation of such a station at Lewes would provide an outlet for the coal of the B. & O. or the Lehigh Valley roads which would be vastly benefited by the possession of such a charter. It is understood that neither of these corporations are back of the movement. The fact that such men as D. W. Corbit and Thomas F. Dilworth of this county are named as incorporators with a number of gentlemen of equal business ability in Sussex and Kent is a sufficient guarantee for the honesty of the charter. This bill will go through the House this week if it can be shown that the charter, after it is secured, will not be sold to the Pennsylvania. The members of the House are solid for a competing line. When it gets to the Senate there will be a strong fight made against it. If properly managed however it will get through.

This is the most important railroad measure which has thus far been introduced. If the company is chartered a new road will undoubtedly be built. The importance to the State of such a charter can readily be seen when the mortgages on the D. M. & V. system are considered. As soon as this charter is granted two or more bidders will compete with the Pennsylvania for the mortgages now held by the State. The amounts of these mortgages are $400,000 and $200,000 respectively. Of this amount the D. M. & V. Company offers to pays $215,000 and to pay the balance of $385,000 in three per cent. bonds to run forty years. To say the least this proposed settlement shows an immense amount of presumption on the part of the people who propose it. If this settlement is made on the proposed plan the Pennsylvania people will ever thereafter hold a menace over the Legislature. This can be readily done by informing the members of the Legislature that to charter a competing line will result in taking away from them so much business that they will be unable to pay the interest on the bonds or even to pay the bonds themself. The bill which provides for a settlement on this plan is hanging in the House and will probably be killed. Such a fate is well deserved. A Senator who is taking a part in other affairs which tests the strength of his backbone remarked that the "Pennsylvania Company has a grip on our throats which we might as well cease to resist." Looking at the thing in this way is discouraging to those men who have taken such an active interest in the bill and its consequences. The real fight on this bill will be in the Senate when the forces are almost evenly divided, but it will pass.

A delegation of New Castle Republicans visited Dover Tuesday to argue against the Five Commissioners Bill. The Senate took a recess and the members repaired to the House there to listen to the remarks of Mr. Spruance, Mr. Nields and Mr. Bird who made it appear that they only desired that which would be superlatively fair and honest to the people. Mr. Spruance got particularly good and said that while he is not a religious man he believed that he had carried into politics that measure of honesty and fair dealing which he had always employed in his business. He then stated that Senator Williams and Senator Hall are such good men that to vote for this measure is with them an impossibility. After eulogising Gov. Hall he paid his respects to Mr. Williams in most profound language, and could not see how a gentleman who had made such a grand and noble national record in Congress could possibly vote for such a bill. Whether or not all this taffy had any effect on the venerable Ex-Congressman remains to be seen. It was expected that the bill would come up this week for final action, but if it does it will have to be forced out of the hands of the committee in order to place the Senator from Kent on record as either favoring or opposing reform in county government. Mr. Spruance and Mr. Nields ignored the other members of the committee altogether and confined their attention strictly to Mr. Williams. Mr. Bird undertook to make some remarks, but he only succeeded in showing that he did not know anything about the important provisions of the bill. That this bill will pass is now doubted by many of the shrewdest politicians of the State; up to this week they hoped for it, but they have now despaired.

The Kent and Sussex bills which have been modeled after the New Castle bill will share a similar fate. The registration act is now fully prepared and is a good measure in every particular. The secret ballot bills are all dead, and it is possible that another bill combining the better features of all the others will be introduced in a short time. The Legislature has compromised with the banks in relation to the tax question which have been a bone of contention for several years. The amount claimed by the State was about $65,000, and the Legislature agreed to accept for the State $47,000. The attorneys who were employed to look after the interests of the State in this matter will get fifteen per cent. of this, rather a good-sized fee. The bill making Good Friday a legal holiday is in the hands of a committee of the [illegible] and will possibly get through [illegible] to bank officers the p[illegible] or engaging in some[illegible]

The Legislature will probably adjourn about May 2d. Much important work remains to be done; in fact there has been nothing of a public nature enacted except the Convention bill. Ballot reform is waiting, County reform is waiting; in fact everything of importance is behind a great mass of divorce, road and ditch bills. The Wilmington people are asking to be allowed to receive one-third of the total amount of the license money paid by Wilmington taverns. This will make a rattling fight, as this money, amounting to about $30,000 annually, will be taken from the school fund to which it now goes.

According to the State treasurer's report for 1890 New Castle county paid:

General fund	$43,420 50
School fund	45,477 36
Total for 1890	$88,897 86

Kent county paid in 1890:

General fund	$4,900 34
School fund	5,643 06
Total	$10,543 40

Sussex county:

General fund	$5,040 18
School fund	4,221 38
Total	$9,261.56

According to the treasurer's report for the same year the disbursements were as follows:

To New Castle county	$39,662 39
To Kent county	27,696 23
To Sussex county	35,501 03

This makes it plain that this county pays a far greater amount than either of the other counties, and that Wilmington pays most of this is evident. It looks as if Wilmington's demand is a just one, but she will have a hard time to get what she wants in this line.

April Weddings.

WATKINS—JANVIER.

Mr. John W. Watkins and Miss Emilie Janvier were married yesterday by Rev. Rollin A. Sawyer at Drawyer's Presbyterian Church, Odessa. The church was tastefully decorated with flowers and presented to the eye a very beautiful appearance. The pastor took his place before the desk where he awaited the coming of the two young people who were about to commence together the journey of life. Miss Sallie Corbit performed the wedding march in a way which added greatly to the impressiveness of the ceremony. Miss Marian Janvier was maid of honor and Mr. George Janvier of Philadelphia acted as best man. The ushers were Messrs. W. G. Janvier, F. L. Davis, C. Watkins and John C. Corbit Jr. Rev. Mr. Sawyer gave much good advice and rendered fervent prayers for the future happiness and well being of the bride and groom. He bound them firmly together as man and wife and sent them on their way rejoicing. Two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Foard strewed flowers in the path as the bride and groom left the church.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Watkins where a pleasant hour was spent in congratulations and satisfying the material needs of the inner man with the good things so bountifully provided. The presents were numerous, useful and beautiful. Among them were a large ladle and a set of spoons which were made from old silver coming from the family of Commodore McDonough. Both the Janvier and the Watkins families are lineal descendents of this family and it seems fitting that these heirlooms should be so placed in the keeping of the united descendants of the illustrious naval officer.

At four o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Watkins departed, amid a shower of rice, on a trip to the national capital, where they will spend the pleasant days of the honeymoon.

GREEN—FRAZIER.

Mr. Harry Green of Odessa and Miss Annie C. Frazier, were married at the residence of the bride's father at Petersburg, on Thursday evening, April 2d.

The bride was handsomely attired in cream Henrietta, and the groom in the conventional black. After the happy couple had received the congratulations, they led the way out to the dinning-room, where a collation consisting of cake, fruits and other confections were served. Mr. and Mrs. Green will make their home near Odessa.

GILLISPIE—COURSEY.

Mr. John R. Gillespie formerly of Centreville, but who is now a salesman in the store of J. T. Mullin & Son of Wilmington, and Miss Sadie Coursey, a daughter of W. T. Coursey Esq., of Centreville, were married in the M. E. Church of that place at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. V. S. Collins. The bride were a handsome ecru cloth dress and carried a pretty bouquet of roses. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie were driven to the train and left Centreville for their future residence, Wilmington.

Townsend Topics.

— Miss Nina G. Scott spent Sunday in Middletown.

— Mrs. S. L. Lindley is the guest of friends in Wilmington.

— Rev. Thomas E. Bell is the guest of Mr. Geo. M. D. Hart.

— Mr. William Bayne and Will Porter spent Sunday near Smyrna.

— Miss Lizzie Collins spent Thursday and Friday with friends in Middletown.

— Miss Emma Wedington of Millington, Del., is the guest of Mrs. James Garton.

— Mr. John P. Deputy of Wilmington, was the guest of friends on South street Thursday.

— Rev. R. I. Watkins of Chestertown, was the guest of Mr. Geo. M. D. Hart on Monday evening.

— Doctor Bushrod Schwatka of Baltimore, was the guest of friends in town on Monday.

— Miss Lela Jester and Miss Estella Vandyke were the guests of Mrs. S. L. Linley several days last week.

— Mrs. M. E. Collins of near Smyrna, was the guest of Mrs. Etta Townsend last Thursday and Friday.

— Mr. Walter E. Finley who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. A. Quillen for several weeks, has returned to his home in Philadelphia.

— Miss Hettie Scone was buried from the residence of Frank E. Wells Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were held in the M. E. Church at 2 o'clock. Interment in the M. E. cemetery, Townsend.

— Monday morning bright and early you could see the Eagle with his bright colored cap coming from every part of the town. Any one not knowing what was going on soon found out that Appoquinimink Castle No. 19. was going to Smyrna to take part in their first parade. About half-past nine the special train arrived that was to convey them to the parading ground. When they arrived in Smyrna they found the remaining members who had driven over and when G. H. P. Lymam formed his men in line he found that old Appoquinimink No. 19, had 43 Eagles on hand, big and little, one hardly tall enough to keep his sword off the ground, yet he does not have to get up on a box to take the password. Brother Lymam with his 43 Eagles was given third place in line, and many were the compliments passed on Castle No. 19, for their good appearance, noble looks and good turnout. So Townsend ought to feel proud of her band of Eagles. When the evening shades began to close on us the Eagles came wandering home to their mother nests, footsore and weary. The Grand Castle made Brother Lymam Grand High Priest. So our P. C. returned happy. Appoquinimink No. 19 is still growing and bids fair to have its 100 members ere the close of 1891. ROCK.

In Society's Whirl.

The closing dance given by the "Young Men's Social Club" in the Opera House on Friday evening last was very largely attended and was without doubt the most brilliant event of the season. Besides the usual attendance of Middletown's participants there were a number of visitors from every point on the Peninsula as well as from neighboring states. The patronesses were Mrs. J. P. Cochran, Jr., Mrs. W. F. Kennedy and Mrs. W. B. Biggs.

Among those present from Middletown we noticed the Misses Eliza Cochran, cream silk; Marion Cochran, white lace; Mrs. W. F. Kennedy, white silk; Mrs. J. P. Cochran, red tulle and red silk; Miss Flora Bean, blue cashmere; Miss Bessie Foard, blue cashmere; Miss Edith Reynolds, white silk and daisies; Miss Mabel Parvis, white mohair and embroidered silk; Miss May Biggs, violet silk; Miss Edith Derrickson, white cashmere cloth of gold trimmings; Miss Helen Naudain, red net and satin; Miss May Beaston, white cashmere and silk; Miss Bessie Morton, white silk; Miss Agnes Lockwood, white silk; Miss Mattie Lockwood, white mulle; Miss Allie McKee, pink cashmere; Mrs. H. S. Beaston, white mulle; Miss Bessie Reynolds, figured silk; Miss May Clayton, white silk; Miss Della Clayton, pink silk; Miss Jodie Biggs, white cashmere and green velvet; Mrs. D. M. Cochran, black silk; Mrs. Jacob S. Cochran, dove cashmere; Miss Marion Cochran, white cashmere and silk; Miss Hester Jones, lavender tulle; Mrs. W. B. Biggs, pink silk. The visitors from Dover were Mrs. M. Wilson, golden brown satin; Mrs. Long, black silk; Miss Rachel Massey, figured tulle; Miss Virginia Jester, blue tulle and silk; Miss Anna Massey, figured silk; Miss Alice Mills, embroidered swiss and ferns. From Philadelphia were Miss Thompson, figured silk and lace; Miss Martin, white silk and gold trimmings. From Elkton and Chesapeake were Miss Laurine Wilson, white silk; Miss Bertie Wilson, red silk; Miss Carrie Brady, pink tulle and velvet; Miss Mary Ellison, white silk, Miss Sallie Barwick, black net; Miss Beulah Clayton, Mt. Pleasant, white silk; Miss Minnie Massey, Massey's, Md., striped tulle; Mrs. J. S. Griffith, white silk; Miss Nettie Craven, white silk and lace; Miss Willis, Milford, white silk, gold trimmings; Miss Edith Crow, Wilmington, white silk and lace; Miss Cacy, Massey's, pink silk; Miss Cleaver, Port Penn, white silk and pink roses; Miss Lillie Corbit, Odessa, white silk; Miss Dawkins, Jacksonville, Fla., white cashmere and lace; Miss Emily Lanning, Bridgeton, N. J. figured tulle; Miss Emma Wilson, Georgetown, figured silk; Miss Queenie Dushane, white cashmere; Miss Gertie Dushane, pink silk.

The gentlemen present were Messrs. F. B. Watkins, H. A. Poole, E. R. Cochran, Jr., J. P. Cochran, Columbus Watkins, F. R. Pool, W. B. Biggs, John Biggs, Alex Corbit, W. R. Reynolds, W. G. Lockwood, H. S. Beaston, Frank Biggs, Fred Cochran, Will Cochran, J. C. Kelley, John A. Eliason, Clyn J. Perkins, Claude F. Perkins, Middletown. Mr, Howard Culbreth, Mr. Jones, Robert Massey and M. Wilson of Dover. Percy Bailey, J. J. Imhoff, Philadelphia. E. M. Bye, G. Parke Postles of Wilmington. T. J. Conrey, Bennett Steele, Henry Brady, Harry Howard, Delmer Smithers, Chesapeake City. Messrs. H. Clemsen, J. E. Wilson and A. H. Reynolds, Elkton.

Cure for Chicken Cholera.

Mr. John Armstrong, of Forest Hill, Md., recently cured a chicken of cholera by administering laudanum in four drop doses every two hours. The chicken was so nearly dead that its comb had turned black, and Mr. Armstrong felt that under the circumstances the most desperate remedy was justifiable. The chicken which was of the brown Spanish variety, was, in a few days, and continued to be entirely well. If the remedy will always act as well, the discovery is a valuable one.—Elkton News.

Buys an Opera House.

William Herbert last evening completed arrangements for the purchase of the Opera House at New Castle now owned by the various secret societies of that town. The price to be paid is $31,000. Mr. Herbert has held for some time a mortgage of $11,000 on the property. He will manage the building himself, renting the hall, the stores and the lodge rooms.—News.

THE MARKETS.

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JOHN W. JOLLS.

WHEAT—No. 2 red	108	New cobe Corn	72@75c
Steamer No. 2,	105	CORN	75c
Timothy Seed	200	Yellow, shelled,	@75c
Clover Seed, per lb	9½	Oats,	@75c

MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY S. M. REYNOLDS & CO.

Eggs, ₱ doz	13@15
Butter, ₱ lb	30@32
Lard, ₱ lb	8@10
Potatoes ₱ basket	10@20
Chickens ₱ lb	10@12

DELAWARE CITY.

HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK IN A THRIVING TOWN.— PERSONAL ITEMS OF INTEREST.

— Miss Tillie Murch of Wilmington, spent Sunday here.

— Mr. F. A. Pennington was in Philadelphia on Tuesday.

— Miss Mary Messigg spent a few days in Philadelphia, this week.

— Miss Mary E. O'Neil is visiting friends in Philadelphia this week.

— Mr. Joseph Schatz of Philadelphia, visited his brother here this week.

— Mr. E. A. Stout of the Delaware City Hotel, spent Sunday in Philadelphia.

— Mr. George Lockerman of Port Penn, arrived home from Florida on Tuesday.

— Wood Chears and Tim Warrick have taken a trip to Mexico, to be gone a month or so.

— Miss Lizzie Girard and Miss Mary Holliday are visiting friends in Chester this week.

— More weddings will be announced in the near future in this column of THE TRANSCRIPT.

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— Wm. Simpkins an old resident of this neighborhood died suddenly on Tuesday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law Mr. Frank Jester, near Delaware City. The funeral will take place on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

— The Rev. Mr. Braddon spent a few days last week in Baltimore, the guest of Mr. John B. Stansbury, and returned the latter part of the week with C. W. Pancoast on his fishing schooner, Jos. A. Wilson.

— Samuel Gardner, a former resident of Delaware City died at Bryn Mawr, Pa., on Saturday afternoon, after a lingering illness. The funeral took place here on Wednesday afternoon. Services were held at the M. E. Church. Interment at Delaware City cemetry.

— Mr. Smith, editor of the "South Jerseyman," which is published at Salem, N. J., paid our city a visit on Tuesday. He came for the purpose of getting some points on the fishing industry at this point. He left with a book full and a fine string of fish presented to him by one of our fishermen.

— Rev. T. O. Ayres, the new pastor of the M. E. Church arrived here on Thursday and was tendered a reception at the M E. parsonage by the members of the congregation on Thursday evening, and held his first service here on Sunday. The church was crowded both morning and evening to hear his very able sermons.

— THE CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH:— Second Sunday after Easter, April 12th, 1861. Divine Service at 10.30 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Sunday School at 2.30 P. M. Morning Sermon:—The Oneness of Our Life." Evening Sermon:—"The Life and Labors of St. Paul." Friday, April 17th, Evening Prayer and address at 7.30 P. M. Everybody cordially invited to attend the services. H. L. C. BRADDON, Rector.

— At the annual Parish meeting of Christ Church, held Easter Monday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Senior Warden, Peter Kline; Junior Warden, N. G. Price; Vestrymen, Messrs. A. Colburn, C. Reeves, J. R. Pennington, I. H. Ubil, W. W. Cheairs, B. Dunlap and J. Endicott. Delegates to Diocesan Convention, Messrs. Kline and Ubil. Treasurer and collector, Miss Annie E. Hunter. The Diocesan Convention will be held at Milford on June, 3rd, 1891.

— At the town and school election held here on Saturday last the following ticket was elected: Mayor, Captain W. E. Reybold; Town Commissioner, A. I. Swan; School Commissioners, J. Thomas Price, Isaac H. Ubil, for two years; George N. Bright, for one year. Edward L. Clark and George B. Money received a tie vote for Commissioners, for two years, and unless one or the other withdraws a new election will have to be held for a School Commissioner. David Steelman was re-elected Town Treasurer. LATER.—The contest between Mr. George B. Money and Edward L. Clark on the school ticket was settled on Monday by Mr. Clark withdrawing.

Davis Bros. have on hand a very fine lot of early Rose seed potatoes raised in Holton county, Maine. They are able to sell at prices which are satisfactory because they bought at first hands.

Business Locals.

Fifty farm gates for sale by G. E. HUKILL.

Whitewash Brushes at S. M. REYNOLDS & Co.

Landreth Garden Seeds at S. M. REYNOLDS & Co.

Rope Traces and Lines at S. M. REYNOLDS & Co.

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G. E. HUKILL.

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☞ Coal Hods, Shovels, Pokers, Zinc, Stove Boards, Pipe Elbows, Dampers, Collars, and and a large stock of all kinds kept in a first-class hardware, stove and tin store.

Roofing, Spouting, &c.

☞ Roofing, spouting and all kinds of tin and iron work, and repairing of heaters, cook and coal stoves at short notice. Repairs furnished for any stove made, of which I give special and prompt attention.

Paints, Varnishes, &c.

☞ Ready-mixed Paints in any quantity. Walnut, Cherry, Mahogany and Maple oil stain, Varnishes—Coach, Furniture and Finishing in any quantity.

Lamps, Agate Ware, &c.

☞ I make a specialty in lamps, lamp goods, agate ware, Japanned tin ware and pressed ware.

☞ Any article in Tinware that I have not in stock I am always prepared to make at short notice; I also give prompt attention to repairing of Tinware.

I extend an invitation to the public my friends and patrons to call and examine my stock and prices.

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By R. J. FOARD, Attorney.

NOTICE.

I, WM. A. JESTER, DRUGGIST, the owner of a drug store in Delaware City, New Castle county, Del., in compliance with the requirements of the Acts of Assembly, in such case made and provided, do hereby give notice that I shall apply in writing at the Court of General Sessions of the Peace and Jail Delivery of New Castle County for a license to sell intoxicating liquors by prescription for medicinal purposes; and the following respectable citizens (at least one half of whom are freeholders in said county) recommend said application:

W. A. Price,	E. L. Clark,
J. B. Clark,	Clement Reeves,
G. B. Money,	Frank Belville, M. D.
J. R. Pennington,	H. C. Clark,
J. F. Reybold,	G. W. Reybold,
George N. Bright,	Robert A. Moody,
C. W. Jefferson,	J. T. Cheairs.

apr9-3t WM. A. JESTER,

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Final Notice.

DUE NOTICE having already been given by the Board of Health that all hog-pens must be dispensed with after the first of January, 1891, a further notice is hereby given that an inspection will be made on the 1st day of April, and anyone found keeping them in violation of this order will be dealt with in accordance with the law.

By order of the Board of Health of the town of Middletown, this 12th day of March 1891. CYRUS TATMAN,

mar12-tf Secretary.

House for Sale.

THE STORE AND DWELLING combined on Main Street, near the depot, now occupied by the undersigned. Excellent site for good business location.

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A BRICK DWELLING AND STORE attached, situated on the corner of [illegible] and Scott streets. Location most desirable. The property is in first-class order and will be sold on reasonable terms, as the undersigned expects to leave the State.

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The Transcript

Thursday Afternoon, April 9, 1891

THE POTATO AND THE ONION.

The potato once went on a mash,
And sought an onion bed;
"That's pie for me!" observed the squash,
And all the beets turned red,
"Go way!" the onion weeping cried;
"Your love I cannot be;
The pumpkin be your lawful bride,
You cantelope with me!"

But onward still the tuber came,
And laid down at her feet;
You cauliflower by any name
Is it will smell as wheat;
And I too am an early rose,
And you I've come to see;
So do not turnip your lovely nose,
But spinachat with me!"

"I do not carrot all to wed;
So go, sir, if you please!"
The modest onion meekly said,
"And lettuce, pray, have peas!
Go think that you have never seen
Myself or smell my sigh!
Too long a maiden I have been
For favors in you rye!"

"Ah, spare a cuss!" the tuber prayed.
"My cherryshed bride you'll be!
You are the only weeping maid
That's currant now with me!"
And as the wily tuber spoke
He caught her by surprise,
And, giving her an artichoke,
Devoured her with his eyes.

Published by Request.

A PACK OF CARDS.

A SCOTCH SOLDIER MADE THEM SERVE AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR A BIBLE.

A private soldier by the name of Richard Lee was taken before the magistrate of Glasgow, Scotland, for playing cards during divine service. At the church those who had Bibles took them out, but this soldier had neither Bible nor Common Prayer Book, and pulling out a pack of cards, he spread them before him. He first looked at one card and then at another. The sergeant of the company saw him and said:

"Richard, put up the cards; this is no place for them."

"Never mind that," said Richard.

When the services were over the constable took Richard a prisoner and brought him before the mayor.

"Well," said the mayor, "what have you brought the soldier here for?"

"For playing cards in the church."

"Well, soldier, what have you to say for yourself?"

"Much, sir, I hope."

"Very good; if not, I will punish you severely.

"I have been," said the soldier, "about six weeks on the march. I have neither Bible nor Common Prayer Book. I have nothing but a pack of cards, and I hope to satisfy your worship of the purity of my intention." Then, spreading the cards before the mayor, he began with the ace.

"When I see the Ace, it reminds me there is but one God. When I see the Deuce, it reminds of the Father and Son. When I see the Tray, it reminds of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost. When I see the Four, it reminds of the Four Evangelists that preached—Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. When I see the Five, it reminds me of the Five Wise Virgins that trimmed their lamps—there were ten, but five were wise, and five were foolish, and were shut out. When I see the Six, it reminds me that in six days the Lord made Heaven and Earth. When I see the Seven, it reminds me that on the seventh day God rested from the great work he had made, and hallowed it. When I see the Eight, it reminds me of the Eight righteous persons that were saved when God destroyed the world, viz: Noah and his wife, his three sons and their wives. When I see the Nine, it reminds me of the nine lepers that were cleansed by Our Saviour; there were nine out of Ten that never gave thanks. When I see the Ten it reminds me of the Ten Commandments, which God handed down to Moses on the tables of stone. When I see the King, it reminds me of the Great King of Heaven, which is God Almighty. When I see the Queen, it reminds me of the Queen of Sheba, who visited Solomon, for she was as wise a woman as he was a man. She brought with her fifty boys and fifty girls, all dressed in boy's apparel, for King Solomon to tell which were boys and which were girls. The King sent for water for them to wash. The girls washed to the elbows and the boys to the wrists, so King Solomon told by this."

"Well," said the mayor, "you have described every card in the pack but one."

"What is that?"

"The knave," said the major."

"I will give your honor a description of that, too, if you will not be angry."

"I will not," said the mayor, "if you do not term me to be a knave."

"The greatest knave I know of is the constable that brought me here."

"I do not know," said the mayor, "if he is the greatest knave, but I know he is the greatest fool."

"When I count how many spots there are in a pack of cards I find 365, as many days as there are in the year. When I count the number of cards in a pack I find 52, the number of weeks in a year. I find there are 12 picture cards in a pack, representing the months in a year, and on counting the tricks I find 13, the number of weeks in a quarter. So, you see, the pack of cards serves for a Bible, an almanac and a Common Prayer Book."

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It was just an ordinary scrap of wrapping paper, but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery, and got a sample bottle; It helped her, she bought a large bottle, it helped her more, bought another and grew better fast, continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy plump, weighing 140 pounds. For fuller particulars send stamp to W. H. Cole, Druggist, Fort Smith. Trial Bottles of this wonderful Discovery Free at Dr. H. Vaughan's Drugstore.

The Pennsylvania Railroad's April Tour to California.

The third tour of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's series to the Golden Gate left New York last week, and now but one remains, which will leave April 14, and undoubtedly cover the most desirable route, both to and from the far Pacific Coast.

The special vestibule Pullman train equipped with its drawing-room, sleeping, library and smoking, dining and observation cars, manned by a crew of twenty-four employes, as well as a tourist agent in charge, and a chaperon and ladies' maid to look after those of their own sex, a stenographer and typewriter, in fact fitted out even to a barber, is this palace on wheels, which will in going West traverse the States of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, and down into Kansas, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, and into California, where six side trips are included, as well as three whole weeks in the land of sunny sky. Returning the train darts directly north from San Francisco, through California, Oregon, and Washington, stopping at Portland and Tacoma, then runs east via the Northern Pacific Railroad through Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and home through Pennsylvania. Tickets for the entire trip, including meals en route and Pullman transportion, together with several carriage rides and side trips, are but $300. Application for space should be made at once to Mr. George W. Boyd, assistant General passenger agent, Philadelphia.

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State Treasurer Woodruff, of Arkansas, ran things with a heavy hand. It has been found that he is $165,000 short in his accounts and it is believed that this is not all. The first deficit discovered was $96,000 and this his bondsmen paid cheerfully. Subsequently another of $69,000 was found and this knocked the sureties out.

The Elliptograph.

There is a demand for a simple instrument that will make an ellipse quickly. A Swedish inventor has recently patented a device that seems to meet the demand. It consists of a drawing-pen or pencil fixed at right angles to a horizontal bar, at the other end of which is a leg used as a support. A handle is at the top of this bar, and at the lower end of it is a reel around which is wound a double thread. The thread passes down to the point of the pen or pencil, and is passed into the paper at the foci of the ellipse. The thread is placed around these pins, and all that needs now to be done is to draw the curve in the usual fashion.

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The man who hauled the first load of sand used in building the Polk county (Iowa) penitentiary has just been sentenced to that institution for six months. Thus is virtue frequently rewarded. The man who invented the guillotine was the first to have his head cut off. But then it is gratifying to know that if we have means of punishment they are sometimes used.

Great Men on Advertising.

To advertisers: There is that scattereth and yet increaseth, and there is that withholdeth more than is meet; but it tendeth to poverty.—Solomon.

Newspaper advertising is a study, a science, and an art. In the hands of a capable man it can be made effectual in almost every line of commercial business, but handled ignorantly is the inevitable cause of loss and general dissatisfaction.—W. W. Hallack.

...e love of praise influences all man- ... and the greatest minds are most ...ptible of it.—Cicero.

Ingersoll on Barrett.

Sunday night, before an audience that crowded the Broadway Theatre, Col. Robert Ingersoll delivered the last of a serie of lectures for the benefit of the New York Press Club building fund. His subject was Shakespeare, and he opened with the following eulogy on the late Lawrence Barrett:

"Lawrence Barrett," said the orator, and he paused. "My heart tells me that on the threshold of my address it will be appropriate for me to say a few words about the great actor who has just fallen into that mysterious sleep. Lawrence Barrett was my friend and I was his. He was an interpreter of Shakespeare, to whose creations he gave flesh and blood. He was the greatest tragedian of our time, next to Edwin Booth. He shunned the questionable, the vulgar and impure. He was a thoughtful *Hamlet*, an intense *Othello*, and the best *Cassius* of the century. One by one the players leave the stage and others take their places. There is no pause; no one knows what the next scene is to be. Will this drama have an end? Will the curtain fall at last, and will it rise again on some other stage? Reason says perhaps; hope still whispers yes. Sadly I bid my friend farewell. I admired the actor. I loved the man."

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by adressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. NOYES, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y. m5-1y

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Delmar,		6.55	$8.55	3.10
Laurel,		7.05	9.07	3.21
Seaford,		7.15	9.20	3.33
Cannons,			9.28	3.40
Bridgeville,		7.25	9.34	3.45
Greenwood,		7.33	9.44	3.54
Farmington,		7.41	9.53	4.03
Harrington,		7.50	10.05	4.14
Felton,		7.59	10.15	4.23
Viola,		8.03	10.20	4.27
Woodside,		8.07	10.25	4.31
Wyoming,	$7.00	8.14	10.32	4.38
Dover,	7.06	8.20	10.42	4.45
Dupont,	7.09			
Cheswold,	7.15		10.52	4.53
Brenford,	7.19		10.57	4.58
Smyrna *Le*	7.15	8.28	10.55	4.50
Clayton,	7.24	8.37	11.05	5.05
Green Spring,	7.28			5.10
Blackbird	7.35		11.16	5.17
Townsend,	7.40	8.50	11.21	5.22
Middletown	7.49	9.00	11.31	5.31
Armstrong,	7.53			5.35
Mt. Pleasant,	7.57		11.41	5.40
Kirkwood,	8.06		11.50	5.50
Porter's,	8.13	9.19	11.55	5.55
Bear	8.17		12.00	6.01
State Road,	8.22		12.06	6.06
New Castle,	8.28	9.31	12.12	6.12
Farnhurst,	8.33			
Wilmington,	8.43	9.42	12.25	6.25
Philadelphia,	9.32	10.32	1.17	7.15
Baltimore,	10.37	11.10	2.00	8.31

SOUTHWARD.

	PASS. A.M.	EXP. A.M.	PASS. P.M.	PASS. P.M.
Philadelphia,	$7.27	$10.23	$4.01	$6.07
Baltimore,	8.30	9.08	12.45	5.27
Wilmington,	8.15	11.08	4.50	7.00
Farnhurst	3.24		5.06	
New Castle,	8.30		5.10	7.11
State Road,	8.36		5.16	
Bear	8.41		5.21	*7.19
Porter's	8.50			7.26
Kirkwood,	8.55	11.30	5.28	7.31
Mt. Pleasant,	9.03		5.36	7.39
Armstrong,	9.07		5.39	
Middletown	9.13	11.46	5.47	7.48
Townsend,	9.22		5.54	*7.56
Blackbird,	9.27		5.58	
Green Spring,	9.33		6.05	
Clayton,	9.39	12.03	6.10	8.09
Smyrna *Le*	9.30	11.53	5.50	7.59
Brenford,	9.44		6.15	
Cheswold	9.49		6.20	*8.16
Dupont,			6.23	
Dover,	9.59	12.20	6.30	8.26
Wyoming,	10.06	12.26	6.37	8.32
Woodside,	10.13		6.44	
Viola	10.17		6.48	
Felton,	10.25	12.37	6.53	
Harrington,	10.37	12.49	7.05	
Farmington	10.44	12.55	7.10	
Greenwood,	10.53	1.03	7.19	
Bridgeville,	11.02	1.11	7.28	
Cannons	11.07		7.33	
Seaford,	11.16	1.22	7.42	
Laurel,	11.28	1.32	7.53	
Delmar,	11.40	1.43	8.05	

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North-bound trains leave Delmar 1.06 a. m. daily, Dover 2.50 a. m. regularly; arriving Wilmington 4.15 a. m. Baltimore 6.45 a. m., and Philadelphia 5.10 a. m., and leaves Delmar at 2.30 p. m., week-days; arriving at Wilmington 5.05 p. m., Philadelphia 5.51 p. m., Baltimore 7.05 p. m. stopping at principal intermediate stations.

The 1.06 a. m. train also stops at Seaford, Bridgeville, Harrington, Felton, Wyoming, Clayton, and Middletown to leave passengers from points south of Delmar, or take on passengers for Wilmington and points North. Also stops on signal at Laurel.

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PHILADELPHIA, Sundays, *2.13, 6.45, *7.10, 7.50, 9.05, 11.20 a. m., *12.19, 1.00, *2.45, 3.05, 4.10, 5.30, *5.52, 6.45, *7.36, 8.05, *9.11, 10.00 p. m.
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Atlantic City, week-days, *7.10, a. m., *12.19 and *2.45 p. m. Sundays, *7.10 a. m. and *2.45 p. m.

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BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON, *4.59 7.20, *8.45, *10.35 a. m., *12.10, *2.10, 2.53, *5.06 *6.37, *8 07 p. m. daily.
BALTIMORE and way stations, 7.20 a. m and 2.55 p. m. daily.
BALTIMORE and principal stations on Philadelphia division, 10.35 a. m., daily.
NEWARK, DEL., 4.59 7.20, *8.45, *10.35 a. m., *12.10, 2.55, *5.06, 5.40, *6.37, *8.07 and 11.10 p. m. daily.
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